House Resolution No. 964

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has played an integral role in the educational development of countless youth; and

Whereas, Hugh Kinney, an esteemed resident of St. Louis, Missouri, has distinguished himself as one of fourteen individuals nationwide to receive the American Association of School Administrators (AASA) President's Technology Award; and

Whereas, the President's Technology Award honors school superintendents for vision and leadership in technology to advance teaching, learning, and achievement; and

Whereas, currently serving as Superintendent of the Pattonville School District, Hugh Kinney was instrumental in the Board of Education's efforts to improve technology in the classroom, a vision that was supported by the St. Louis community in 2000 when it approved a \$37 million bond issue which included \$4 million in new classroom technology; and

Whereas, teachers and administrators of the Pattonville School District have embraced the new technology because they know the positive impact it will have on children in the classroom; and

Whereas, students in the Pattonville School District are actively learning and using technology that gives them an edge both in their academic performance now and their careers in the future; and

Whereas, Hugh Kinney was honored at the AASA's annual conference held in February of 2003 and received an all-expenses-paid trip to one of Apple Computers' Technology Leadership Institutes, as well as an Apple Titanium PowerBook laptop computer:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty and robust congratulations to Hugh Kinney upon his most worthy receipt of the AASA President's Technology Award, and in wishing him only the very best as he continues to touch the lives of countless Missouri youngsters through tireless commitment to excellence in all aspects of education; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Hugh Kinney of St. Louis, Missouri.

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I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 964, adopted March 19, 2003.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker